CAPSULE SUMMARY
—CT-753 CT-403
Wilgate
4145 Hunting Creek Road
Huntingtown, Calvert County
ca. 1890
Private

Wilgate, constructed circa 1890, is an excellent example of the Italianate style with scroll-sawn brackets, pendent drops, pierced porch brackets, and projecting bays. The property, named Wilgate by previous owners Carol Wilson and Harvey Gate, is representative of late-nineteenth-century architecture in Huntingtown and, despite a series of additions on the rear, retains a sufficient degree of integrity of design, workmanship, and materials.

This two-and-a-half-story, Italianate-style house rests on a small rise, and is located approximately forty yards south of Hunting Creek Road. The wood-frame dwelling is on a low stretcher-bond brick foundation and is clad with vinyl siding. It has a shallow-pitched cross-gable roof sheathed in asphalt shingles. The overhanging eaves of the narrow cornice, which has a fillet profile, have a vinyl soffit and scrolled wood brackets with pendent drops. The house has a square form with a two-story rear ell, and a one-and-a-half-story, side-gable, addition on the western side. A series of one- and two-story additions have been added to the south elevation, obscuring the main block of the house and surrounding the ell. The north elevation, which is the primary façade, is three bays wide with a onestory porch and three-sided projecting bay. The one-story, three-bay front porch has pierced brackets, a boxed cornice with scrolled brackets finished with pendent drops, and square wooden posts supporting the half-hipped roof of the porch. The projecting bay is two stories in height with a front gable roof. The face of the bay has two 2/2 wood-sash window openings on the first and second stories. The open tympanum has an octagonal louvered vent and a fillet-molded cornice. On the east side elevation, a three-sided canted bay of two stories has 1/1 metal-sash replacement windows and an open tympanum with a narrow fillet cornice. The one-and-a-half-story side addition has a steeply pitched front gable with scrolled brackets on the east elevation. The first story of this addition has an enclosed porch with triple crank one-light windows, a single entry opening, and a large 1/1 metal-sash window. The main block of the house is heated by two interior-end, corbeled brick chimneys, while a second interior-end chimney rises from the ell. A non-historic garage is associated with the property, and is located to the east of the house. The three-car garage has vinyl siding and a side gable roof with dormers.

Maryland Historical Trust Maryland Inventory of Historic Properties Form

Inventory No.

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2. Location			
street and number	4145 Hunting Creek Road		not for publication
city, town	Huntingtown		vicinity
county	Calvert		
3. Owner of	Property (give names and ma	illing addresses of all owne	ers)
name	John Luskey & Elizabeth Withers		
street and number	4145 Hunting Creek Road		telephone Unknown
city, town	Huntingtown	state MD	zip code 20639-9115
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7. Description

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Prepare both a one paragraph summary and a comprehensive description of the resource and its various elements as it exists today.

SETTING

The house at 4415 Hunting Creek Road is located to the west of Huntingtown. The 1.38-acre property is set to the northeast of the Calvery Church. The house rests on a small rise, and is located approximately forty yards south of Hunting Creek Road. The grassy site has mature trees, foundation plantings, and a paved circular drive that leads to the garage at the rear of the house.

PRIMARY RESOURCE

Erected circa 1890, the two-and-a-half-story, Italianate-style wood-frame dwelling is on a low stretcher-bond brick foundation and is clad with vinyl siding. It has a shallow-pitched cross-gable roof sheathed in asphalt shingles. The overhanging eaves of the narrow cornice, which has a fillet profile, have a vinyl soffit and scrolled wood brackets with pendent drops. The house has a square form with a two-story rear ell, and a one-and-a-half-story, side-gable addition on the western side. A series of one- and twostory additions have been added to the south elevation, obscuring the main block of the house and surrounding the ell. The north elevation, which is the primary façade, is three bays wide with a one-story porch and three-sided projecting bay. The one-story, three-bay front porch has scroll-sawn brackets, a boxed cornice with scrolled brackets finished with pendent drops, and square wooden posts supporting the half-hipped roof of the porch. The projecting bay is two stories in height with a front gable roof. The canted sides of the bay are not pierced. The face of the bay has two 2/2 wood-sash window openings on the first and second stories. The open tympanum has an octagonal louvered vent and a fillet-molded cornice. On the east side elevation, a three-sided canted bay of two stories has 1/1 metal-sash replacement windows and an open tympanum with a narrow fillet cornice. The oneand-a-half-story side addition has a steeply pitched front gable with scrolled brackets on the east elevation. The first story of this addition has an enclosed porch with triple crank one-light windows, a single entry opening, and a large 1/1 metal-sash window. The main block of the house is heated by two interior-end, corbeled brick chimneys, while a second interior-end chimney rises from the ell. There are a variety of windows in this house, including 1/1 metal sash, 2/2 wood sash, 6/6 wood sash, and one-light casement windows.

SECONDARY RESOURCE

A non-historic garage is associated with the property, and is located to the east of the house. The three-car garage has vinyl siding and a side gable roof with dormers.

8. Signifi		
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Constructio	n dates ca. 1890	
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N	ational Register	Maryland Register X not evaluated

Prepare a one-paragraph summary statement of significance addressing applicable criteria, followed by a narrative discussion of the history of the resource and its context. (For compliance reports, complete evaluation on a DOE Form - see manual.)

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The property was sold in 1991 by Carol M. Wilson and Harvey Gate to Stephen V. and Kay M. Wehner. It was purchased in August 2002 by John and Elizabeth Luskey.

9. Major Bibliographical References

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See continuation sheet.

10. Geographical Data

Acreage of surveyed property 1.38

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Unknown

Quadrangle name

Prince Frederick

Quadrangle scale

1:24,000

Verbal boundary description and justification

Wilgate is located at 4145 Hunting Creek Road, Huntingtown, Calvert County, Maryland. The historic house is noted on Tax Map 18, Parcel 394. It has been historically associated with Parcel 394 since the construction of the house circa 1890.

11. Form Prepared By

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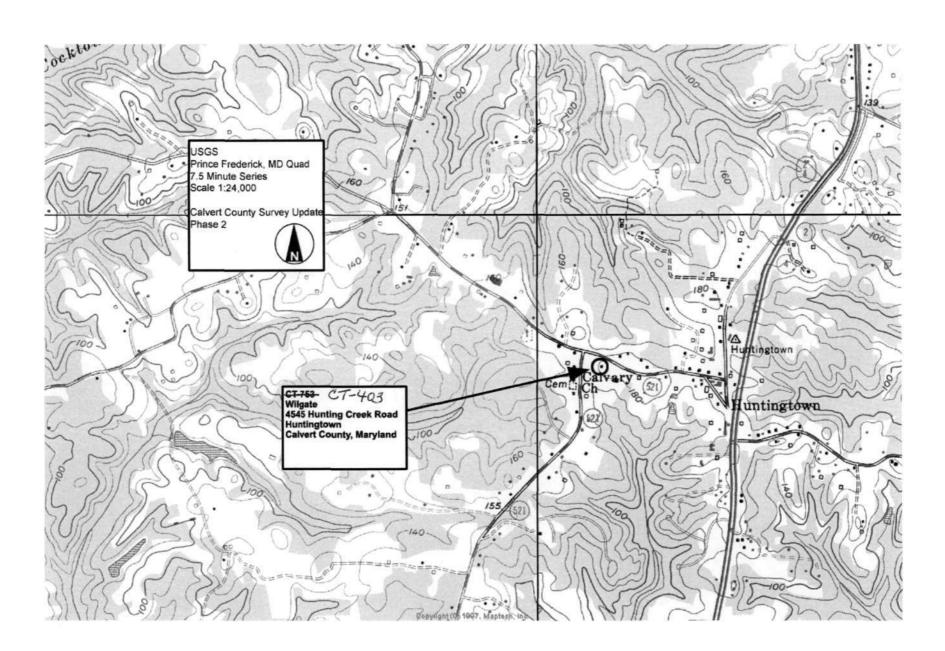
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Maryland Historical Trust State Historic Sites Inventory Form

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4. Own	er of Pro	perty (give names ar	nd mailing address	es of <u>all</u> owners)
name	Carol M. N	Wilson/Har	vey Earl G	ates	
street & number	4145 Hunt:	ing Creek	Road	telephone r	no.:
city, town	Huntington	wn	state	and zip code Mary	land 20639
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Prepare both a summary paragraph and a general description of the resource and its various elements as it exists today.

Wilgate faces north on Hunting Creek Road (Hwy. 521) near the place where the road takes a 90-degree turn to the south. It is a two-story, framed and weatherboarded, gable-roofed house built in the form that is commonly called a T-plan. The advanced bays on the facade and the east end are polygonal -- they have clipped corners. There are interior brick chimneys. The original sash are two-over-two double-hung. Affixed to the cornice of the facade are a row of sawn brackets with turned pendants. On the one-story shed-roofed porch, sawn and pierced brackets are set in the angle between the posts and the eaves to give the porch an arcaded look. The original wood siding has been replaced with vinyl sheathing.

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name/title	Camille Wells		
organization	MHT/Calvert Plannin	g Department	date September 30, 1986
street & number	Courthouse, Main St	reet	telephone (301) 535-2348
city or town	Prince Frederick		state Maryland 20678

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CT-403 LEON D. MINCHER HOUSE

Huntingtown Private

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DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

This elaborate Victorian house stands two stories tall. It is built of frame with a variety of decorative elements. The L-shaped structure measures five bays across the north facade, and five bays across the east side. Projecting bays include the two eastern bays on the facade, and the three central bays on the east side. A onestory cross-gabled kitchen adjoins the south end.

Either section of the "L" is covered by a gable roof. The facade's t-roofed one-story porch features heavy turned posts, extensively carved brackets, and brackets with drop-spindles supporting the eaves. Similar brackets support the eaves of the main roof on this side.

Patterned shingles sheathe the gables. The rest of the house is covered with plain lapped weatherboards. Two over two windows framed in plain architraves light the house. A screened porch covers the kitchen's east side. Brick chimneys heat the center and west end of the house.

8 SIGNIFICANCE

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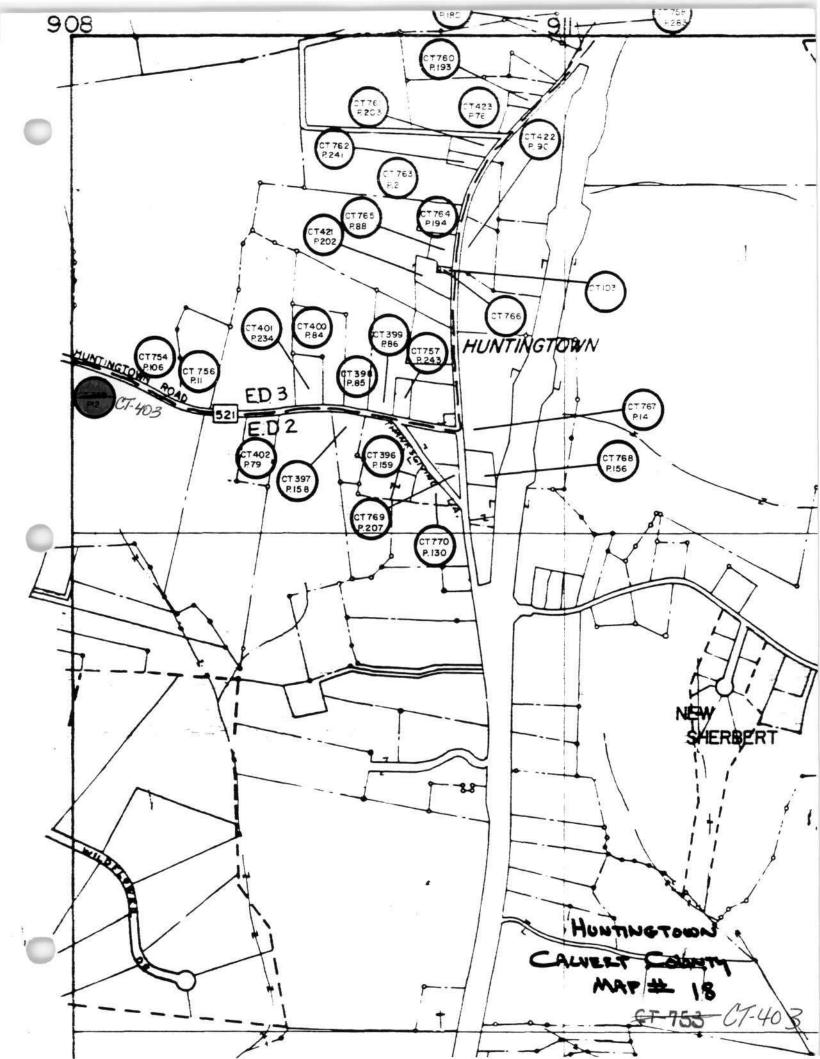
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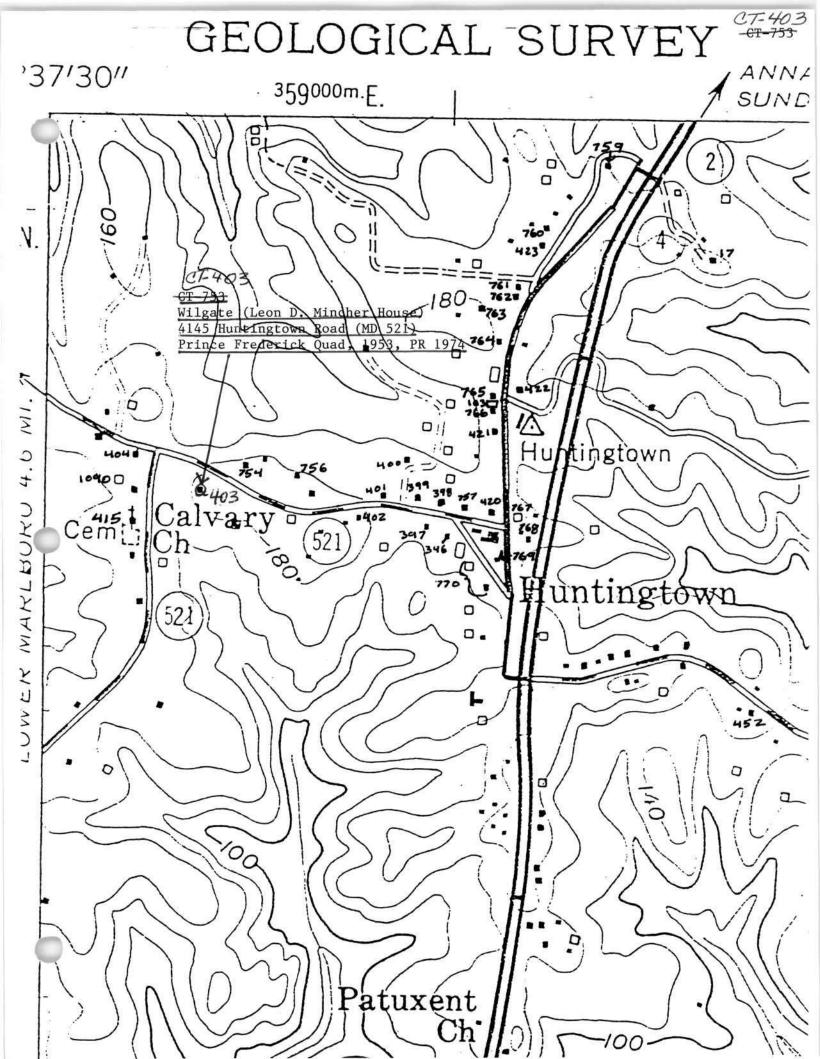
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